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In re Application of: CALLENS et al.

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Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Sir:

It is requested that the time for response to the Office Action mailed November 5, 2002 be extended two months so that it expires on April 7, 2003 (April 5, 2003 being a Saturday).

Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$410.00. If a further extension is needed, such extension is requested, and the Commissioner is hereby authorized to debit any

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other amount which may be required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 03-2775.

Respectfully submitted,

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